

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **HB 727 - SB 1946**

March 2, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the TennCare Office of Inspector General and the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit to report annually to the Governor and the General Assembly about the activities to combat TennCare fraud including the numbers of complaints, investigations, charges, prosecutions, convictions, and appeals.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **MINIMAL**

#### Assumptions:

- The Medicaid Fraud Control Unit within the TBI is currently required to submit a summary of the unit's work annually to the Governor and the Judiciary Committees of the House and Senate.
- There will be no impact to the TennCare Office of Inspector General to submit a report on the activities of the office.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director